

STATE OF TASMANIA.

MONTHLY STATISTICS - JULY-AUGUST, 1940.

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RATILWAYS: RECE		1020	3040	7.040	7.04.0	
RE		1939	1940	1940	1940	
ross Revenue		August. 38,672	June.	July.	August.	
orking Costs, excl. Interest		50,594	46,801	41,833	48,001	
rain Miles run (incl. Rail Motor)			50,485	49,124	52,135	
assenger Journeys				178,198	180,589	
		73,113	228,657 81,775	208,997	191,176	
	0115	10,110	01,113	70,763	84,485	
LECTRIC POWER - Units generated by		3.000	0.00	10	3010	
dillos generated by		1939	40040	- Contraction -	1940	
ydro-Electric Department		Augus 47,622,			ugust.	
t. Lyell Mining & Railway Co.)		41,022,	400 49,20	0,300 47,	,685,500	
aunceston City Council)						
ionger Tin Mining Co.						
mall, Plants, estimated)	i alroop	5,642,	610 6 73	9,378 7	015,619	
otal Units		53,265,			701,119	
nits supplied to Hobart Metropolite	an area:	31,360,			656,400	
" Launceston & Subu		2,745,			012,932	
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MPLOYMENT - Private.	1020	1040	1040	1044		
MI DOIMBINI - IIIVA 66.	1939 August.	1940 June.	1940 July	1940 Augus		
O Factories	8,706	9,791			57	
4 Rotail, etc.	988	1,017	1,019	1,0		
O Miscellaneous, incl. Banks,	300	1,011	1,010	E POST	an roing and	
Insuranco, Motor Oils,						
Private Railways, etc.	1,018	1,060	1,076	1,06	54	
The state of the s	10,712	11,868	11,648	11,63	33	
REAL ESTATE STATISTICS.		1939	1940	1940	1940	
		August.	June.	July. £	August.	
Gal Property Act.		£	£	£	£	
Value of Land Transfers	926	148,638	104,396	131,975	66,487	
" " Mortgages registered		98,122	72,095	92,075	35,804	
" " discharged		62,288	51,833	60,462	26,277	
" " partially disc	harged	4,496	4,935	3,386	1,305	
ogistration under Deeds Act.		250 000	50 450	300 054	75 450	
Value of Conveyances		150,093	72,453	102,354	75,473	
" " Mortgages		115,715	41,399	63,974	53,902	
" Reconveyances		59,552	42,657	43,338	31,365	
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INANCE. August 1939 and 1940.	Conso	lideted Rev	enue Fund.			
Recoipts.	Gonsolidated Revenue Fund.			Payments.		
	2 Months	S.	August.	and the same and t	2 Months.	
August. 1939 1940 1939	WHEN PROPERTY AND		with the tip-me our payable and when calus	940 19	939-40 1940-4	
£169,006 £170,538 £325,					76,486 £343,1	
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Excess of Payments	over Rec	elpus for a	Monons end	i ii ii	" 1939:£50,9	
Locasi essib s					1 30 3 6 20 9 3	

BUTTER PRODUCTION. (Factory) 1939 August. Butter 1b. 313,717 228,886	1940	1940	1940
	June.	July.	August.
	132,757	157,239	233,179
SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS.	1939	1940	1940
	August.	July.	August.
Commonwealth Savings Bank - Trustee Savings Banks - Hobart, L'ton.	2,352,701 6,249,999 8,602,700	2,292,955 6,223,769 8,516,724	2,316,648 6,361,411 8,678,059
BANK CLEARINGS. Hobart Launceston	2,688,678	3,323,593 1,548,414	2,623,882

No. on Register at 1.8.40. Lapsod Registrations	Lorries, &c. 3,248 226	Utilities. 2,022 177	Motor Cars & Consolidation			
Registrations - August, 1940. New Vehicles Used Vehicles	3,022 19 201	1,845 9 141	3,128 8 204	16,341 32 1,209		
No. on Register end August, 1940:	3,242 5,021	1,995 (a) d with Lorries.	3,340 3,626	17,582 17,681		

COMMONWEALTH SALES TAX.	Net Sales of Taxable	Net Taxable	Sales Tax
	and Exempt Goods.	Sales.	Collected
1939	£	£	£
August	644,889	207,566	11,480
1940.		0g 0 10 els - 3 dec 0as 0a - 9 d	
May	900,967	281,902	21,166
June	751,668	181,069	16,689
July	980,621	252,896	22,107
August	756,950	185,750	20,045

RETAIL PRICE INDEX NUMBERS.

Cost of Food and Groceries.

(6 Capitals in 1923-1927 as Base = 1000)

			1939		1940		1940	1940
			hugust		June.		July.	August.
Hobart			914		938		936	956
Launceston			905		933		933	938
Burnie		68.	942		953		966	974
Devonport			930		953		960	977
Queenstown			1018		1026		1018	1038
Woighted Average,	Tasmania:		917		941		940	955
Rosobery		690,151	1028	St. J.	1070	-	1065	1102

HOBART BUILDING PERMITS.

						A CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY O				
	New Buil	dings for	for New Buildings for			tions &				
1	Habit	ation.	Other P	urposes.	Additions.		Totals.			
Month	Permits	Contract	Permits	Contract	Permits	Contract	Permits	Contract		
		Price.		Price.		Price.	56 J 96 13	Price.		
1940.		£		£		£		£		
Sept.	23	23,835	4	11,350(a)	14	1,659	41	36,844		
1939.				47.00						
Sept.		19,180	5	9,369	18	1,143	44	29,692		
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(a) Contract £1,800 (Addition to State School).

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